

11. Why was it important that elders be familiar with sound doctrine (see verse 10 and following)?

The Biblical Practice of Eldership

What does the word 'Presbyterian' mean to you? Does it signify someone who is dour and joyless; one who, with great devotion, doggedly endures the crushing burden of the Christian faith?

Or does the word 'Presbyterian' equate to an overly structured and bureaucratic Church that is slowly but surely being swept away by more modern forms of Congregational life?

Or does the word 'Presbyterian' signify to you a particular shade of blue?

1. Why are we called a Presbyterian Church?

2. How do our neighbours around us view 'First Portadown Presbyterian Church'?

Read Titus 1:5-9

